

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1999**, upon the application of **THE WILLIAM G. HELIS COMPANY, L.L.C.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **N Sand, Reservoir B**, in the East Black Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.

1. To recognize that the N Sand, Reservoir B, is a new reservoir pursuant to LSA-R.S. 47:648.1 - 648.4, as amended.
2. To recognize that The William G. Helis Company, L.L.C. - State Lease 195 QQ No. 93 Well is a new discovery well for the N Sand, Reservoir B.
3. To recognize that there is common ownership of the entirety of the N Sand, Reservoir B, making it unnecessary to establish a unit or units or to force pool and unitize any separately owned interests.
4. To exempt from the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E, the N Sand, Reservoir B, underlying the Exempt Area.
5. To exempt from the allowable provisions of Statewide Order No. 151-A-2, the N Sand, Reservoir B, underlying the Exempt Area permitting each well completed in the N Sand, Reservoir B, underlying the Exempt Area to produce at its Maximum Efficient Rate.
6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The N Sand, Reservoir B, in the East Black Bay Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that oil and gas bearing sand encountered between the depths of 6,996' and 7,071' (ELM) in The William G. Helis Company, L.L.C. - State Lease 195 QQ No. 93 Well, located in Township 17 South, Range 17 East.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE CONTACT DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, PERSONNEL SECTION AT P.O. BOX 94396, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9396 IN WRITING OR BY TELEPHONE (504) 342-2134 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M., MONDAY THRU FRIDAY WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.